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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 432 By Maddox

A RESOLUTION to specially recognize and commend Greenfield High School football star Rusty Darby on his selection to the *Associated Press* All-State team.

WHEREAS, we are very proud to specially honor our exceptional high school athletes; and

WHEREAS, each year after a rigorous selection process which is conducted in consultation with experts, the *Associated Press* names its elite high school Class A All-State team; and

WHEREAS, the 1999 members of this squad appropriately included Greenfield High School star football player Rusty Darby, who was selected to the All-State First Team; and

WHEREAS, Rusty, a fearsome 170-pound senior defensive back, was an important mainstay for the awesome Greenfield defensive backfield this season; and

WHEREAS, Rusty espertly picked off 11 passes thrown by opponents; and

WHEREAS, Number 50 also recovered a fumble and made 95 tackles, 48 of which were solo stops; and

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WHEREAS, his marvelous efforts helped Greenfield to compile a fine 8-3 record and secure a post-season appearance; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we pause in our deliberations to specially recognize this outstanding athlete, who exemplifies the finest traditions of the Volunteer State; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we honor and congratulate Rusty Darby and wish him well in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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